

Honorable FCC Commissioners,

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My Name is Christopher R. Miller and I am nearing the age of 56. I have held an Amateur Radio license for 42 of those years. Amateur Radio led me to a 30-year career in aerospace. I spent 18 of those years on systems for the Space Shuttle fleet. I am very proud of the work I've done in aerospace programs. Now I am considering the possibility of early retirement, so I may enjoy the fruits of my labor. High on my list, is the enjoyment of Amateur Radio and the chance to volunteer more of my time to public service through Amateur Radio. The thought of harmful interference to the HF spectrum, because of Broadband Over Power lines would be devastating. In my opinion, interference from this mode of data transfer, is going to be extremely difficult to control. My experience with utility companies has been less than favorable, in the mitigation of interference problems. The current interference in the HF spectrum is very difficult to deal with.

I know the FCC position is to encourage this mode. My request is that you please NOT relax any of the current interference regulations. If change is made in the regulations, it is my hope that you would STRENGTHEN the interference regulations.

I am not against BPL, but, I fear the harmful interference potential. I hope that you will move very carefully and slowly on this issue.

Thanks for your time,

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